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For: FLUOROALKOXY-SUBSTITUTED Attorney Docket No.: 9516-084
1,3-DIHYDRO-ISOINDOLYL
COMPOUNDS AND THEIR
PHARMACEUTICAL USES

**POWER OF ATTORNEY BY ASSIGNEE
AND EXCLUSION OF INVENTOR(S) UNDER 37 C.F.R. 3.71
WITH STATEMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. 3.73(b)**

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SIR:

The undersigned assignee of the entire interest in the above-identified subject application hereby appoints:

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as my/our attorney(s) or agent(s) to prosecute the application identified above, and to transact all business in the United States Patent and Trademark Office connected therewith.

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Statement Under 37 C.F.R. 3.73(b)

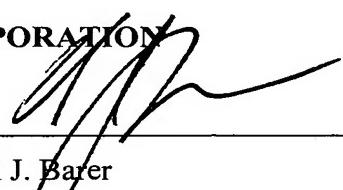
Celgene Corporation states that it is the assignee of the entire right, title, and interest in the patent application above by virtue of

An assignment from the inventors of the above-identified patent application.

An assignment of the entire interest in the above-identified subject application is submitted herewith for recording.

The undersigned (whose title is supplied below) is authorized to act on behalf of the assignee.

ASSIGNEE: CELGENE CORPORATION

Date: May 11, 2004 Signature: 
Typed Name: Sol J. Barer
Position/TITLE: President & Chief Operating Officer
Address: 7 Powder Horn
Warren, New Jersey 07059

Enclosure

JOINT

ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, WE, **George W. MULLER**, citizen of the United States, residing at 250 Windmill Court, Bridgewater, NJ 08807, **Hon Wah MAN**, citizen of the United States, residing at 27 Grant Way, Princeton, New Jersey 08540 and **Weihong Zhang**, citizen of the Peoples Republic Of China, residing at 831-D Donaldson Street, Highland Park, New Jersey 08904, ASSIGNORS, are the inventors of the invention in **Fluoroalkoxy-Substituted 1,3-Dihydro-Isoindolyl Compounds and Their Pharmaceutical Uses** for which we have executed an application for a Patent of the United States

- which is executed on even date herewith or
- which is identified by Jones Day docket no. 9516-084-999
- which was filed on December 29, 2003, as Application No. 10/748,085

and WHEREAS, **CELCENE CORPORATION**, ASSIGNEE, a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of Delaware, and having a place of business at 7 Powder Horn Drive, Warren, NJ 07059, is desirous of obtaining our entire right, title and interest in, to and under the said invention and the said application:

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the sum of One Dollar (\$1.00) to us in hand paid, and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, we, the said ASSIGNORS, have sold, assigned, transferred and set over, and by these presents do hereby sell, assign, transfer and set over, unto the said ASSIGNEE, its successors, legal representatives and assigns, our entire right, title and interest in, to and under the said invention, and the said United States application and all divisions, renewals and continuations thereof, and all Patents of the United States which may be granted thereon and all reissues and extensions thereof; and all applications for industrial property protection, including, without limitation, all applications for patents, utility models, and designs which may hereafter be filed for said invention in any country or countries foreign to the United States, together with the right to file such applications and the right to claim for the same the priority rights derived from said United States application under the Patent Laws of the United States, the International Convention for the Protection of Industrial Property, or any other international agreement or the domestic laws of the country in which any such application is filed, as may be applicable; and all forms of industrial property protection, including, without limitation, patents, utility models, inventors' certificates and designs which may be granted for said invention in any country or countries foreign to the United States and all extensions, renewals and reissues thereof;

AND WE HEREBY authorize and request the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks of the United States, and any Official of any country or countries foreign to the United States, whose duty it is to issue patents or other evidence or forms of industrial property protection on applications as aforesaid, to issue the same to the said ASSIGNEE, its successors, legal representatives and assigns, in accordance with the terms of this instrument.

AND WE HEREBY covenant and agree that we have full right to convey the entire interest herein assigned, and that we have not executed, and will not execute, any agreement in conflict herewith.

AND WE HEREBY further covenant and agree that we will communicate to the said ASSIGNEE, its successors, legal representatives and assigns, any facts known to us respecting said invention, and testify in any legal proceeding, sign all lawful papers, execute all divisional, continuing, reissue and foreign applications, make all rightful oaths, and generally do everything possible to aid the said ASSIGNEE, its successors, legal representatives and assigns, to obtain and enforce proper protection for said invention in all countries.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, We hereunto set our hands and seals the day and year set opposite our respective signatures.

Date May 11, 2004

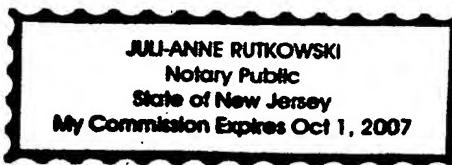
George W. Muller
GEORGE W. MULLER

L.S.

On May 11, 2004, before me, Juli-Anne Rutkowsk, Notary Public, personally appeared George W. Muller, personally known to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence to be the person(s) whose name(s) is subscribed to the within instrument and acknowledged to me that he/she/they executed the same in his/her/their authorized capacity(ies), and that by his/her/their signature(s) on the instrument the person(s), or the entity upon behalf of which the person(s) acted, executed the instrument.

WITNESS my hand and official seal

Juli-Anne #2292411



Date May 11, 2004

Hon Wah Man
HON-WAH MAN

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On May 11, 2004, before me, Juli-Anne Rutkowski, Notary Public, personally appeared Hon-Wah Man, personally known to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence to be the person(s) whose name(s) is subscribed to the within instrument and acknowledged to me that he/she/they executed the same in his/her/their authorized capacity(ies), and that by his/her/their signature(s) on the instrument the person(s), or the entity upon behalf of which the person(s) acted, executed the instrument.

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